

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint' inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled GAS DELIVERY METERING TUBE, the specification of which:

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| | was filed on <u>07/13/2001</u> as Application Scrial No. <u>09/905.349</u> |
| | and was amended on |
| | (if applicable) |

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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| Prior Foreign Application(s) | | | Priority Claimed | | | |
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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